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The Honorable Chairman and Members  
of the Hawaii Public Utilities Commission  
Kekuanaoa Building, 1st Floor  
465 South King Street  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Commissioners:

Subject: Docket No. 2009-0108 – Proposed Amendments to the IRP Framework  
Request for Time Extension to File Opening Briefs

On March 24, 2010, the Hawaiian Electric Companies,<sup>1</sup> on behalf of the Parties to this proceeding,<sup>2</sup> filed a letter requesting an extension of time to file Opening Briefs to conduct settlement discussion meetings in order to attempt to reach full or partial consensus on a draft framework, which would thereby serve to limit the number of issues that would need to be addressed by the Parties in their respective briefs.

Due to misunderstandings on the part of the Hawaiian Electric Companies in obtaining the Parties' consensus on the March 24, 2010 letter, incorrect dates were included in the letter for the filing of Opening Briefs and Reply Briefs.

The letter should have requested an extension of time until May 24, 2010 for the filing of Opening Briefs, with Reply Briefs due two weeks thereafter, on June 7, 2010.

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<sup>1</sup> The "Hawaiian Electric Companies" include Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc., Hawaii Electric Light Company, Inc., and Maui Electric Company, Limited.

<sup>2</sup> The Parties to this proceeding include: The Hawaiian Electric Companies; the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Division of Consumer Advocacy; Kauai Island Utility Cooperative; Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism; the County of Hawaii; the County of Maui; the County of Kauai; Life of the Land; Haiku Design and Analysis; Hawaii Renewable Energy Alliance ("HREA"); Blue Planet Foundation; Hawaii Solar Energy Association; and J.W. Marriott Ihilani Resort and Spa, Maui Ocean Club, Wailea Marriott, and Essex House Condominium Corporation on behalf of Kauai Marriott Resort and Beach Club (collectively "Marriotts"). Forest City Hawaii Residential, Inc. and the Public Benefits Fee Administrator (Science Applications International Corporation/R.W. Beck ("SAIC")) were named as Participants in the proceeding.

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The Parties have been contacted regarding the error made in the March 24, 2010 letter, and no objections were received to the amendments made to the filing dates of Opening Briefs and Reply Briefs above, with the exception of HREA and Marriotts, who did not respond.

Very truly yours,

  
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